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FOLLOWING REPEAT CONAKRY 1791 ACTION DAKAR INFO SECSTATE ABIDJAN  
DAR ES SALAAM KINSHASA LONDON, NOVEMBER 20TH:

QUOTE

O N F I D E N T I A L CONAKRY 1791

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT : REPORTED EFFORTS OF PRESIDENT AMIN TO MEDIATE  
PRESIDENT TOURE'S DIFFICULTIES WITH PRESIDENT  
SENGHOR

1. ACCORDING TO FIRST SECRETARY FROM BRITISH EMBASSY, DAKAR,  
WHO IS IN CONAKRY AS BRITISH DELEGATE TO NOVEMBER 22 CELE-  
BRATIONS, PRESIDENT AMIN WILL TRY TO MEDIATE BETWEEN  
PRESIDENT TOURE AND PRESIDENT SENHOR. FIRST SECRETARY  
HEARD FROM BRITISH CREW MEMBERS OF AMIN'S PLANE THAT CREW  
HAS BEEN ORDERED TO FLY AMIN TO KINSHASA ON FRIDAY, NOV-  
EMBER 23, PICK UP PRESIDENT NYERERE AND GO TO DAKAR WHERE  
TWO PRESIDENTS WILL SUPPOSEDLY BEGIN THEIR EFFORTS. MEAN-  
WHILE AMIN'S SCHEDULE IN CONAKRY CALLS FOR HIS DEPARTURE  
ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25.

2. IN VIEW SEKOU TOURE'S DISINTEREST IN FOLLOWING PATH OF  
MEDIATION BY AFRICAN CHIEFS OF STATE, AMIN'S PLAN WOULD  
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SEEM ILL-FOUNDED. AS FAR AS WE KNOW, TOURE IS STILL INTER-

ESTED IN GETTING OTHER STATES TO SUPPORT HIM AND CONDEMN  
SENGHOR AND HOUPHOUET RATHER THAN PATCHING THINGS UP  
BETWEEN THEM. IN THIS PART OF THE CONTINENT OF AFRICA,  
HOWEVER, SURPRISES CAN NEVER BE RULED OUT.

3. BRITISH FIRST SECRETARY HAS ASKED THAT FOREGOING BE  
CONVEYED TO HIS AMBASSADOR IN DAKAR.  
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